LOCAL "STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARATION" Morgan County, Utah

WHEREAS, the County of Morgan, Utah has suffered and continues to suffer flooding and damage due to snow pack run off during the days leading up to June 19, 2011; and

WHEREAS. The Weber River is forecast to remain near above flood stage through mid June; and

WHEREAS, East Canyon Reservoir began flowing over the spillway Saturday June 11, 2011; and

WHEREAS, Morgan County has, is and will suffer from major flooding that has caused or is expected to cause damage to public and private property and some disruption of infrastructure throughout Morgan County; and

WHEREAS, Morgan County is a political subdivision of the State of Utah; and

WHEREAS, the following conditions exist and are ongoing:

- 1. The Weber River and East Canyon Creek continue to threaten homes and property with flooding;
- 2. The bridge over Peterson Creek near 4061 W. 4000 N has severe damage;
- 3. Widespread sandbagging has been done and continues throughout the County in an effort to prevent additional damage;
- 4. Lost Creek is currently at flood stage;
- 5. The constructing of berms and removal of debris and fallen trees from streambeds throughout the County;
- 6. Emergency personnel, County and City Staff and Volunteers continue to assess the circumstances and work through problems as they arise;

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to Utah Code Annotated, 63K-4-301 on behalf of the residents of the County of Morgan, I declare a state of local emergency.

DATED June 14, 2011

Morgan County Council Member

ATTEST: